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**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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For: METHODS FOR DIAGNOSING A BIPOLAR DISORDER AND UNIPOLAR  
DISORDER

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND  
ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the  
accompanying pages.